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## **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024**

Dear parents and carers,

We are already coming towards the end of another school term, and I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support of the school as we enter the final term of this academic year. In particular, I hope you found the recent parent consultations helpful in informing you of how your child is getting on in school, and thank you to all those parents who attended. I have a few updates for you before the Easter holidays.

### **Homework projects**

A final reminder that we will be celebrating and sharing these projects in a special assembly next Thursday. Please do support your child with this if you are able to, and a big thank you and well done to all those children whose projects that have already come in. We are really looking forward to seeing some wonderfully creative designs next week!

### **English Touring Opera and Trinity Laban Performances**

We were delighted to welcome both the English Touring Opera and Trinity Laban drama students to St Luke's this week. The English Touring Opera performed *The Great Stink*, an original piece about the history of sewage in London. Trinity Laban performed their version of *Madagascar* and the children and staff felt they had been whisked away to the West End!

It is great to work with talented companies such as this in providing opportunities for all children to experience drama and music and we know it helps them in their own performances.

A big thank you to Mr. Griffiths for arranging these visits to the school, and to the children for being such an engaged and respectful audience.

We are looking forward to our music concert this Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March at 2:30pm and hope to see many of you there!

### **Cross Country Competition**

On Wednesday, a number of children from St. Lukes, from years 1-6, represented the school in an Isle of Dogs cross country competition. I, along with the rest of the staff, are so proud of the children's commitment to the competition, and how well they represented our school. The children were bursting with enthusiasm both before and after the event, and clearly had such an enjoyable time at the competition. It was wonderful to see a number of medals come back to school too, and St. Luke's came first overall! I would like to extend my thanks to Anna for organising this event, to the parent volunteers who supported, and to say a huge well done to all the children involved.

### **Upcoming dates**

I would like to remind you of a couple of key upcoming date changes, which differ slightly from the parent calendar sent out at the beginning of the year. These are:

1. Birch class assembly will now be on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May
2. Maple class assembly will now be on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May
3. The year 5 Gorsefield trip will take place on the week commencing Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April
4. The school will be closed to all pupils on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May for polling day.

Finally, school finishes at 2pm on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March for all pupils. There will be no after-school provision on this date, and school resumes on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April at the normal time.

I would like to wish you all an enjoyable and relaxing Easter holiday.

Best wishes,

Cristina King

Head of School